

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph [0023] with the following amended paragraph:

[0023] The mobile platform 20 preferably utilizes a suitable number of wheels, treads, and/or the like. In the example shown in FIG. 1, the mobile platform 20 includes four wheels 40a - 40d. At least one wheel 40a - 40d is attached to and driven by a motor 42 via a power transmission ~~[[42]]~~ 44. This motor 42 is preferably powered pneumatically. The mobile platform 20 further includes a steering mechanism 46 for modulating the rotational plane of at least one of the wheels 40a- 40d. For example, the steering mechanism 46 includes a pneumatic cylinder 48 attached to the wheels 40a and 40b via a linkage for turning the rotational plane of the wheels 40a and 40b.